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Filed: August 15, 2006	)	Confirmation No.: To Be Assigned
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For: IMIDAZOLINE DERIVATIVES	)	
HAVING CB <sub>1</sub> -ANTAGONISTIC	)	
ACTIVITY	)	

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Sir:

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper.